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Dear Sir:

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The accompanying form PTO-1449 lists several documents which may be considered material to the examination of the above identified application. A copy of each document was submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement mailed August 16, 1999. However, through inadvertent clerical error the following two dollarments were incorrectly identified:

German Patent Publication DE 3814728 A1 dated November 9, 1989. German Patent Publication DE 4109482 A1 dated September 24, 1992.

A legible copy of each of these two German patent documents together with English translations were provided with the Information Disclosure Statement mailed August 16, 1999. The Office Action mailed November 8, 1999 states that these documents have been placed in the application file. However, a further copy of each of these two documents and of the translations accompany this paper.

Because these documents were supplied (but misidentified in Form PTO-1449) to the USPTO within three months from the date of a communication from the European Patent Office in which the documents were cited, it is urged that a bona fide attempt has been made to comply with 37 CFR 1.98, and that no fees are now due under 37 CFR 1.97 (d) or 37 CFR 1.97 (e). However, if a determination is made that a fee is payable, authorization is hereby given to charge any such fee or fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0315.

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